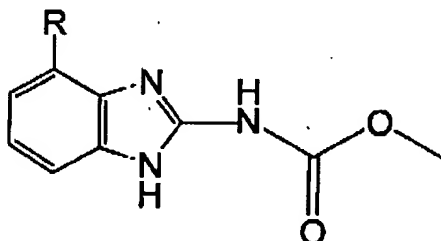


Claims according to Revised Format of Pre-OG Notice of January 31, 2003

CLAIMS

1. (Previously amended) A method for treating carcinoma, sarcoma, or lymphoma susceptible to treatment in a warm-blooded animal comprising administering to the warm-blooded animal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of the following formula A-1:



A-1

wherein,

R is $-\text{CONR}_1\text{R}_2$, $-\text{OCOR}_1$ or $-\text{NHCOR}_1$;

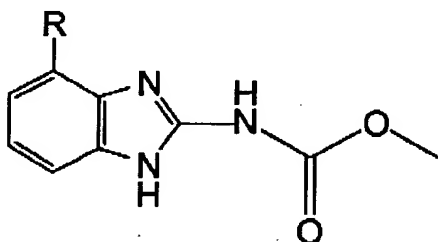
R₁ is alkyl, haloalkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkenyl, haloalkenyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted phenyl, substituted or unsubstituted phenylamino, substituted or unsubstituted benzyl, alkoxyalkyl, poly(alkoxy)alkyl, hydroxyalkoxyalkyl, hydroxypoly(alkoxy)alkyl, haloalkoxyalkyl, halopoly(alkoxy)alkyl, or aminoalkyl; and

R₂ is hydrogen or alkyl.

2. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 1 wherein the compound is in the form of a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.
3. (Original) A method according to claim 2 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable salt is hydrochloride salt.
4. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 1 wherein the compound is in the form of a prodrug thereof.

5. (Cancelled)
6. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein R is $-\text{OCOR}_1$.
7. (Original) A method according to claim 6 wherein R_1 is alkyl or substituted or unsubstituted phenyl.
8. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said compound is micronized and is suitable for administering to said warm-blooded animal by injection.
9. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said compound is administered in an amount of from 10 mg/kg body weight to 10,000 mg/kg body weight.
10. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said compound is administered orally, enterically, intravenously, peritoneally, or by injection.
11. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said compound is administered in a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
12. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said cancer is a carcinoma.
13. (Cancelled)
14. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 12 wherein said carcinoma is melanoma.
15. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 12 wherein said carcinoma is colon cancer.
16. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 12 wherein said carcinoma is breast cancer.
17. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 12 wherein said carcinoma is lung cancer.
18. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 12 wherein said carcinoma is pancreatic cancer.

19. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 12 wherein said carcinoma is ovarian cancer.
20. (Previously amended) A method according to claim 12 wherein said carcinoma is prostate cancer.
21. (Cancelled)
22. (Cancelled)
23. (Cancelled)
24. (Previously added) A method for treating leukemia susceptible to treatment in a warm-blooded animal comprising administering to the warm-blooded animal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of the following formula A-1:



A-1

wherein,

R is -OCOR₁; and

R₁ is alkyl, haloalkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkenyl, haloalkenyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted phenyl, substituted or unsubstituted phenylamino, substituted or unsubstituted benzyl, alkoxyalkyl, poly(alkoxy)alkyl, hydroxyalkoxyalkyl, hydroxypoly(alkoxy)alkyl, haloalkoxyalkyl, halopoly(alkoxy)alkyl, or aminoalkyl.